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come from the Revenue Department. I do not know why such a procedure is adopted. There are vast avenues of promotion left open to the officers of the Revenue Department when so many developmental schemes are taken up for execution. Therefore, instead of dumping the officers of the Revenue Department on the Commercial Taxes Department, as far as possible officers of the same Department should be given more opportunities for promotion, etc.

MR. SPEAKER: The question is—

"That the Madras General Sales Tax (Third Amendment) Bill, 1955, as amended, be passed."

The motion was put and carried and the Bill as amended was passed.

MR. SPEAKER: The House will now adjourn and meet again on Thursday, the 16th instant at 9 a.m.

The House then adjourned.

V.—PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE.

43. *Orders of Government on the recommendations of the District Revenue Administration Enquiry Committee issued after the 1st August 1955.*

44. *Statements VIII, IX and X showing action taken by the Government on assurances, promises and undertakings given during the Eighth Session, 1955–56, of the Madras Legislative Assembly.*